## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1212**

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A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Charles Harold Traylor of Somerville.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Charles Harold Traylor of Somerville; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Traylor was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, born on August 10, 1943, Charles Traylor was the son of the late Harold and Dorothy Traylor; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Traylor served with acumen and alacrity as the director of FCSA for the last thirty-three years, in which position he earned the respect of his peers and colleagues alike for the superior quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, he was one of the original founders of the Tennessee Solid Waste Directors
Association and was honored as Director of the Year in 2017; and

WHEREAS, deeply devoted to his family, Mr. Traylor always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Charles Traylor will be fondly remembered but sadly mourned by his beloved wife of fifty-eight years, Beverly Wiseman Traylor; his sons, Charles Troy (Janet) Traylor, Martin Jean (Cheryl) Traylor, and Brandon Lee (Amy) Traylor; his grandchildren, Jered Traylor and fiancée Joanna, Nicholas (Logan) Traylor, Matthew (Randi) Traylor, Anne (Nan) Ye, Katie Traylor, and Sarah Traylor; his great-grandchildren, Mei and Sophie; and two brothers, Mike Traylor and Alan Traylor; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his parents, Mr. Traylor was preceded in death by a brother, Dennis Traylor; and

WHEREAS, Charles Traylor leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Charles Harold Traylor, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Traylor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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